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STAYING CONNECTED	THE FSSP	DONATIONS
<p><b>PARISH ONLINE NEWSLETTER</b>  To receive the bulletin and important  announcements online, call the Parish  Office to register.</p> <p><b>NEW PARISHIONERS</b>  Registration forms are available in the  Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>	<p>St. Stephen the First Martyr  is a personal parish of the Diocese of  Sacramento. It is served by priests of  <b>the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter.</b></p> 	<p><b>ST. BERNADETTE FUND</b>  Please consider giving to those in need.  Donations can be made online or in the  Parish Office.</p> <p><b>ONLINE GIVING</b>  Available at the parish website.  www.sacfssp.com</p>
<p>Envelopes are very helpful for our bookkeeping. Please pick them up in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>		

# LITURGICAL CALENDAR



26 May 2019

5th Sunday After Easter

<b>Sun. 26 May</b>	<b>5th Sunday After Easter, II</b>
8:00 am	†Adolf Turchi
10:30 am	Pro Populo
1:30 pm	†Ralph Dobrawa
6:00 pm	Judith Kasak
<b>Mon. 27 May</b>	<b>St. Bede the Venerable, Conf. &amp; Dr., III</b>
7:00 am	Rob Haun
12:15 pm	Stephen Roundtree & Family
<b>Tu. 28 May</b>	<b>St. Augustine of Canter., Bp. &amp; Conf., III</b>
7:00 am	Jose Magabo
6:30 pm	Confraternity of St. Peter
<b>Wed. 29 May</b>	<b>Vigil of the Ascension, II</b>
7:00 am	†Sonja Cutts
12:15 pm	Natalia Santana
<b>Th. 30 May</b>	<b>Ascension of the Lord, I</b>
7:00 am	Mrs. Leona Riddle
12:15 pm	TBD
6:30 pm	Steven Leslie Korner
<b>Fri. 31 May</b>	<b>Queenship of the BVM, II</b>
7:00 am	†Shirlee Ann Heratakis
12:15 pm	Judy Kasak
6:30 pm	†Al Haedinger
<b>Sat. 1 Jun</b>	<b>St. Angela Merici, Virgin, III</b>
7:00 am	Queta Gallagher
9:00 am	†Pierina Buccola

## PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Barbara Graichen, Sandy Sneary, Johan Newaz, Jim Carlson, Darryl Gallagher, Fr. Goodwin, Margaret Northan, Jean Haun, Helen DiCarlo, Barbara Cogan, Ramon & Robert Daley, Liz Nicolini, William Cummings, Lorraine Peterson, John Testa, Mitzi Vandenburg, Richard Cummings, Gretchen Medel, Dario Gonzalez, Rick Rabenau, Holly Hollingsworth, Michael Cuellar, Ken Taylor, Michelle di Giovanni, Barbara Jeong, Carol Cummings, Joan Rutschow, Patricia Quinn, Rogelio Mendoza, Ann Richardson, Leah Rae Clemons, Bridget Pauls, Barbara Chu

# PARISH GROUPS

<b>Altar Guild</b> .....	Mike Solton
<i>Boys 10 - 18, Third Saturday</i>	916-832-2859
<b>Choir &amp; Music Classes</b> .....	Keven Smith
<i>Youth &amp; Adults, Sun. &amp; Wed.</i>	ksmith_writer@yahoo.com
<b>Sodality of the BVM</b> .....	Amy Rutschow
<i>Girls 14 - 18, First Saturday</i>	916-340-5782
<b>Rosa Mystica</b> .....	Sue McGrath
<i>Girls 9 - 13, First Saturday</i>	916-531-3946
<b>Little Flowers</b> .....	Katie Scarry
<i>Girls 5 - 8, First Saturday</i>	530-945-6947
<b>Bible Study</b> .....	Fr. Dominic Savoie, FSSP
<i>Adults, Thursday</i>	frsavoie@fssp.com
<b>OLSW Co-op</b> .....	Keetje Terzo
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Tuesday &amp; Thursday</i>	kterzo@hotmail.com
<b>CCM Co-op</b> .....	Krista Williams
<i>Ages 3 - 14, Friday</i>	916-955-6437
<b>Youth Group</b> .....	Liz Hernandez
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Second &amp; Fourth Friday</i>	916-396-4062
<b>Chesterton Society</b> .....	Spencer Roundtree
<i>Adults, Second Tuesday</i>	sac.chesterton@gmail.com
<b>Knights of Columbus, Council #16419</b> .....	Mike McVean
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-747-3021
<b>Holy League</b> .....	Mike Rund
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-218-0096
<b>Altar Linen &amp; Flowers Society</b> .....	Tomoko McDonough
<i>Adult women, Third Saturday</i>	mcdonoughmommy6@gmail
<b>Church Flowers</b> .....	Greta Munsill
<i>Friday</i>	916-425-7112
<b>Church Cleaning</b> .....	Eli Gonzalez
<i>Thursday</i>	916-395-7408
<b>Ushers</b> .....	Patrick Risse
<i>Sunday</i>	patrickgeraldrisse@gmail.com
<b>Coffee &amp; Donuts</b> .....	Durke & Mary Pilegaard
<i>Sunday</i>	209-365-9395
<b>Collection Count Crew</b> .....	Kelly Manstch
<i>Monday</i>	Parish Office 916-451-5114
<b>Brown Bag Lunch Program</b> .....	Maureen Olguin
<i>Sunday</i>	jmolguin5960@att.net
<b>St. Vincent de Paul Society</b> .....	William Giovannetti
<i>First &amp; Third Sunday</i>	916-531-4730
<b>Security</b> .....	Patrick Clemons
<i>Parish Events</i>	916-717-0244

## IN MEMORIAM

Barbara Lyons, Norman Sayles, Penny Hummell, Charles Bardin, Shawn Williams, Marcial Cristi, Louise Szabo, Gerald Foy, Joseph Murphy, Olapeju Adesanya, Alice O'Kane, Willard Coillot, Audrey Kasak, Gordon Alder, Mary Ann St. Cloud, Adolph Turci, Al Haedinger, Tommie Chavez, Steven Korner, Patricia Dunlap

## FROM THE PASTOR

### PRIESTLY ORDINATIONS 2019



Please pray for our four priests who were ordained by the Most Reverend Fabian Bruskewitz, Bishop Emeritus of the Diocese of Lincoln, Nebraska this past Friday, May 24:

- **Rev. John Killackey, FSSP**
- **Rev. Jesus Valenzuela, FSSP**
- **Rev. Ralph Oballo, FSSP**
- **Rev. Daniel Powers, FSSP**

On Friday, May 31, **Rev. Mr. Luc Poirier, FSSP** will be ordained at 7:00 p.m. by the Most Reverend Terrence Prendergast, Archbishop of Ottawa at Notre Dame Cathedral in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Please also pray for our **German and French confreres** who will be ordained on June 29, 2019, at St. Margareta in Heimenkirch, Germany, by His Excellency, Czesław Kozon, Diocesan Bishop of Copenhagen.

"The power of the priest is the power of the divine person; for the transubstantiation of the bread requires as much power as the creation of the world." - St. Bernardine of Siena

"He made them, the vicars of his love." - St. Ambrose of Milan

"I also beseech in the Lord, all my brothers who are, or who shall be, or who desire to be priests of the Most High, that whenever they wish to celebrate Mass, they be pure, and offer with purity and reverence the true Sacrifice of the most holy Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ with a holy and perfect intention; not from any earthly motive, nor for the fear or love of any creature, as though desiring to please men; but let every will (according to the grace given) be directed solely to the most High God, and do you desire to please Him alone, for He alone works in this holy Sacrifice according to His good pleasure, as the Lord has Himself said: 'Do this in remembrance of Me:'

and he who does otherwise becomes a traitor like Judas."  
- St. Francis of Assisi

### IMPORTANT DATES

May 30	Ascension Thursday (6:30 pm Solemn)
June 2	Registration due for Camp Sacred Heart
June 15	Vocations Day for Young Ladies
June 16-22	Camp Sacred Heart
July 21-25	Parish Retreat
Aug 22	Adult Catechism Begins (7:30 pm)

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Fr. Daniel Heenan, FSSP**, is here this Sun., May 26, to preach on the missions in Mexico.

**Ascension is this Thursday!** While it is not a Holy Day of Obligation in the Diocese of Sacramento, we hope you are able to make it to Holy Mass, anyway. There will be an additional Mass at 12:15pm, and a Solemn Mass at 6:30 pm. Full schedule:

<b>7:00 am</b>	Low Mass
<b>12:15 pm</b>	Low Mass
<b>6:30 pm</b>	Solemn Mass

**Fr. Cassian** will offer his second class on the Four Last Things this Thurs., May 30, at 7:30 pm, in the Parish Hall (*it may begin a bit late due to the Solemn Mass*).

This week is **First Saturday**.

The **Youth Group** has its last meeting this Sat., June 1. Members will attend the 9:00 am Mass, followed by brunch and a brief talk, then drive to Capitol Bowl, 900 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento. Please bring \$15 to cover lane and shoe rental. Youth will be picked up back at St. Stephen's in the early afternoon.

**Parish Volunteer Day.** Next Sun., June 2. The various groups and ministries that are responsible for putting on all the activities and events at St. Stephen's are actively recruiting new volunteers. Look for sign up tables in the courtyard on June 2nd after all the Masses. Please consider helping the parish with your time!

**Our Lady Seat of Wisdom Co-op Fundraiser.** Next Sun., June 2. Food will be available after the 8:00 am, 10:30 am, and 1:30 pm Masses.

**Camp Sacred Heart.** Camp Sacred Heart will be held June 16-22 this year. Registration is open to boys age 9-18. Boys unknown to the chaplain must get a letter of recommendation from a priest. For more information call the parish office. Registration due next Sun., June 2!

**Fr. Latimer** will continue to be away until Mon., May 27.

**Fr. Cassian** will be on retreat Fri., May 31 to Fri., June 7.



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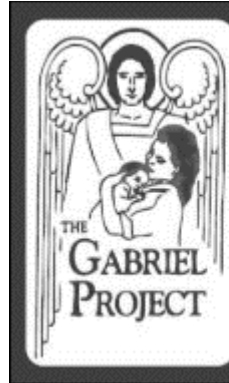
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